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UNITED STATES.

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES, RULES, AND REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO PUBLIC HYGIENE.

[Adopted since July 1, 1911.]

BROOKLINE, MASS.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES—BURIALS.

ARTICLE VIII. SECTION 1. No public funeral shall be held over the remains of any person who has died of smallpox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, cerebrospinal meningitis, or infantile paralysis without the written permit of the board of health, and under such regulations as may prevent the spread of any of said diseases. The remains of any person who has died from any of said diseases shall at once be placed in a tight or sealed coffin, and shall not thereafter be exposed to view or disturbed except for burial.

SEC. 2. That in case of death where the deceased had not been attended by a practicing physician, the certificate of death shall be issued by the medical examiner.

SEC. 3. That no dead body of any person shall be carried to any cemetery, or from one place to another within the town, in any public vehicle other than a hearse or undertaker's vehicle provided for that purpose.

[Ordinance, board of health, adopted Nov. 6, 1911.]

EAST PROVIDENCE TOWN, R. I.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES—NOTIFICATION, SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, FUNERALS.

SECTION 1. Every physician having knowledge of the existence of any cases of contagious, infectious, or epidemic disease within the town of East Providence shall immediately make report thereof to the health officer of said town, with such particulars as said health officer may indicate, on blanks furnished for that purpose.

SEC. 2. The diseases referred to in the preceding section shall include cholera, yellow fever, typhus fever, typhoid fever, cerebrospinal meningitis, diphtheria, smallpox, scarlet fever, measles, intermittent fever, anterior poliomyelitis, commonly called infantile paralysis, and such other contagious, infectious, and epidemic diseases as the health officer may from time to time designate.

SEC. 3. Any physician who shall fail to comply with the provisions of the preceding sections shall be fined not less than \$2 nor more than \$10 for each day of such neglect after having knowledge thereof as aforesaid.

SEC. 4. Every physician, householder, or other person having knowledge of the existence of scarlet fever, diphtheria, or other contagious disease in any house or place in said town shall forthwith give notice of the same to the health officer, who shall without delay cause to be placed upon such house or place a card bearing the name of such disease, which card shall not be removed except by permission of such health officer.

SEC. 5. No person living in a family where there is a case of smallpox shall attend school until the patient shall have passed the period of desiccation (falling off of scabs), nor until the house has been fumigated under the direction and to the satisfaction of the health officer, nor without certificate from said health officer that said period has elapsed and that said fumigation has been properly performed.

SEC. 6. No person living in a family where there is a case of scarlet fever shall attend school until at least five weeks from the beginning of the last case, nor until the house has been properly fumigated in the manner hereinbefore provided, nor without certificate from the health officer setting forth said facts.

SEC. 7. No person living in a family where there is a case of diphtheria shall attend school until at least one week after the recovery of the last patient, nor until said house has been properly fumigated in manner aforesaid, nor without a satisfactory certificate from said health officer.

SEC. 8. The above rules shall, when deemed necessary by the health officer, be extended to all persons living in the same house where any of the above diseases exist, and said health officer may, in his discretion, extend the period of isolation specified in the preceding sections.

SEC. 9. No person with measles, whooping cough, mumps, or chicken pox shall attend school until complete recovery certified to by the health officer.

SEC. 10. Such certificates will be required by the teacher in every case before the persons referred to in the foregoing sections can be admitted to school.

SEC. 11. The funeral of every person who has died of smallpox or diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhus fever, Asiatic cholera, or other contagious or infectious disease, shall be private; and the undertaker or person having the care or custody of the body of such deceased shall cause to be conspicuously affixed to the coffin, casket, or other receptacle containing such remains, and in case said coffin, casket, or receptacle shall be inclosed in a box, then upon said box, a card bearing the name of the disease whereof such person died, which card shall not be removed; and no person having the care or custody of such body shall do or knowingly or willfully permit to be done any unnecessary act by which such disease may be spread from such dead body.

SEC. 12. Every person who shall violate any of the provisions of the preceding section shall, upon conviction thereof, pay a fine of not more than \$20, or be imprisoned not exceeding 10 days; and any undertaker who shall violate any provision of said section, upon conviction thereof, shall in addition to the above penalty be thereupon and thereby removed from the office of undertaker.

SEC. 13. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, the punishment whereof has not been hereinbefore provided for, shall, upon conviction thereof, pay a fine of not more than \$20, or be imprisoned not exceeding 10 days.

[Chap. 28 of an ordinance adopted Aug. 2, 1911.]

FLINT, MICH.

MILK—PRODUCTION, CARE, AND SALE.

SECTION 1. No person, company, or corporation shall engage in the sale, delivery, or distribution of milk in Flint without a license from the clerk of the city of Flint as hereinafter provided. For the purpose of this ordinance, the word "person" shall hereinafter mean individual, partnership, or corporation.

SEC. 2. All persons keeping one or more cows for the purpose of selling or distributing milk within the city limits shall comply with this ordinance and be subject to the inspection and penalties it imposes.

SEC. 3. Persons desiring to engage in such business within the city of Flint shall make application for said license in writing to the city clerk, upon blanks furnished by the board of health, who shall issue same to any person complying with the provisions of this ordinance, upon the payment to him of the sum of \$1 therefor. The money thus collected, together with that received as fines, for the violation hereof if any there be, shall be used to defray the expense incurred in carrying out the provisions of this ordinance. The application for the license shall contain an agreement on the part of the applicant that he will accept a license, if granted to him, upon the condition that it may be revoked at the will of the common council. The applicant shall also at the time he makes application for a license as herein mentioned, present a written consent from each person from whom he obtains milk, granting permission to the health officer of the city of Flint, his representative, or any member of the board of health of said city, free and open access to his dairy or premises for the purpose of making an inspection of the premises or herd, and upon consent of the owner of said herd, to apply the tuberculin test as hereinafter provided, said producer's permit shall be in the following form:

PRODUCER'S PERMIT.

Date _____

"I _____, a producer of milk sold in the city of Flint, Mich., grant permission to the health officer of said city, his representative or any member of the board of health of the city of Flint, Mich., free and open access to my dairy, premises, utensils, wagons, and conveyances for the purpose of making inspection of the same so long, or while milk of my production shall be sold in said city.

"Dated _____.

"Signed _____."